

# Free Crochet Pattern LION BRAND® WOOL-EASE® THICK & QUICK®-GO FOR FAUX

# **SPARKLE STAR BLANKET**

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## **SKILL LEVEL** – EASY

#### **SIZES**

About 38 x 38 in. (96.5 x 96.5 cm)

#### **MATERIALS**

- LION BRAND® WOOL-EASE® THICK & QUICK® (Art. #640)
   #149 Charcoal 6 balls (A)
- LION BRAND® GO FOR FAUX (Art. #322)
   #302 Star 3 balls (B)
- LION BRAND® crochet hook size N (10 mm)
- LION BRAND® large-eyed blunt needle



#### **GAUGE**

8 sts = about 4 in. (10 cm); 8 rows = about 5 1/2 in. (14 cm) with A in alternating rows of sc and dc. BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE.

#### STITCH EXPLANATON

dc2tog (dc 2 sts together) (Yarn over, insert hook in next st and draw up a loop, yarn over and draw through 2 loops) twice, yarn over and draw through all 3 loops on hook -1 st decreased.

#### **NOTES**

- 1. Blanket is made in one piece, back and forth in rows.
- 2. The Stars are worked separately, in joined rnds, then sewn to Blanket.
- 3. Center of each Star is worked in joined rnds. Star points are worked in rows.

#### **BLANKET**

With A, ch 77.

**Row 1:** Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across – you will have 76 sc in this row.

Row 2: Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, sk first st, dc in each st across.

**Row 3:** Ch 1, turn, sc in each st across working last st in top of beg ch-3.

Rep Rows 2 and 3 until piece measures about 38 in. (96.5 cm) from beginning, end with a Row 3 as the last row you work.

Fasten off.

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# **STARS** (make 5)

With B, ch 4.

Center of Star

Rnd 1 (RS): Work 9 dc in 4th ch from hook (3 skipped ch count as dc); join with sl st in top of beg ch-3 – 10 dc.

Rnd 2: Ch 3 (counts as dc), dc in same st as joining sl st, 2 dc in each st around; join with sl st in to of beg ch-3 – 20 dc.

#### First Point

Row 1: Ch 3 (counts as dc), dc in next 3 sts; leave rem sts unworked – 4 dc.

**Row 2:** Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, sk first st, dc2tog, dc in top of beg ch-3 - 3 dc.

**Row 3:** Ch 2 (does not count as a st), turn, sk first st, dc2tog - 1 dc.

Fasten off, leaving a long tail for sewing.

# Second, Third, Fourth, and Fifth Points

From RS, draw up a loop of B in next unworked st of center of Star, then work same as first point. Leave a long yarn tail on each point to use for sewing Stars to Blanket.

#### **FINISHING**

Using photo as a guide, sew Stars to Blanket.

Weave in ends.

## **ABBREVIATIONS**

beg = begin(ning)

**ch** = chain

dc = double crochet

rem = remain(ing)

rep = repeat

rnd(s) = round(s)

**RS** = right side

sc = single crochet

sk = skip

sl st = slip stitch

st(s) = stitch(es)

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